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Re Application of: Pramod K. Srivastava

Application No.: 09/668,724

Group Art Unit: 1642

Filed: September 22, 2000

Examiner: Bansal, G.

For: ALPHA (2) MACROGLOBULIN  
RECEPTOR AS A HEAT SHOCK  
PROTEIN RECEPTOR AND USES  
THEREOF

Attorney Docket No.: 8449-128-999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The University of Connecticut Health Center, an institution of higher education, having an address at 263 Farmington Avenue, Farmington, Connecticut 06030-5355, and owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the invention and U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/668,724, filed September 22, 2000, entitled "Alpha (2) Macroglobulin Receptor as a Heat Shock Protein Receptor and Uses Thereof" hereby consents to amendment of Application Serial No. 09/668,724 to name PRAMOD K. SRIVASTAVA and ROBERT J. BINDER as actual inventors.

The University of Connecticut Health Center certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/668,724, pursuant to an assignment executed by Pramod K. Srivastava, the presently named inventor of Application Serial No. 09/668,724, filed September 22, 2000, which was recorded on September 22, 2000 at Reel 011222, Frame 0301, in the Assignment Division of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. A copy of that Assignment, together with the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document issued by the Office, is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

The undersigned has reviewed all of the documents in the chain of title of Application Serial No. 09/668,724, and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in University of Connecticut Health Center.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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